Dear Santa,

We are from Waveland and our home was at: [redacted] Waveland Ave. However it was our weekend and summer home.

We are now living at: Our primary residence

Address: [redacted] Jeannette Dr.

City Metairie State La. Zipcode 70003

Phone No. [redacted]

Our family consists of:

Myself, (JoAnn) my husband, Frank and our Golden retriever, Max. However, our children and grandchildren visited us often in Waveland.

Our Katrina experience was: Our home in Waveland was our retirement dream. It was only 5 months old and a N.O. shotgun. Our dream washed away with Katrina. Our home in Met. was flooded with only 3 to 5 inches of water - just enough to require that we pull out everything on the first floor. We are now living upstairs and although it is not perfect, we realize how lucky we are to at least have a home, as we realize that many do not. We as well as our children and g-children are well and healthy and we are in the process of repairing our home which should be completed in about 6 weeks, Hopefully.

Write something special that you would like Santa to bring you or your family: We have nothing special that we would like except to be back in our sleepy, little town of Waveland. We spent every weekend with the exception of 2 in Waveland since we moved in on Easter Saturday. We, as well as our family miss it very, very much! Even Max, our dog.

Please use back or another sheet of paper, if you want to write more. We want to hear your story. (over)

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misses his walks to the beach, playing in the water and our neighbor's dog. We would like to rebuild, but at this time we are all consumed with repairing our home in Wet, and are also not quite sure what the new building codes would require. I guess our "something special" is to hope that we would be allowed to put a trailer on our lot until we can decide what we want to do. At least then, we could still enjoy to some point, being in Waveland once more. If you could give us some info on if this is possible, we would be most grateful. and that would be something special to us and our family. We hope that you, your family and all residents of Waveland have a Merry Christmas And a Happy New Year as you can given the circumstances we find ourselves sharing. Please Advise if we can put a trailer on our property and for how long we would be allowed to do so.

God Bless and Happy Holidays

Sincerely,

JoAnn & Frank [redacted]